

## UPDATED INFORMATIVE DIGEST

There have been no changes in applicable laws or to the effect of the proposed regulations from the laws and effects described in the Notice of Proposed Action.

In addition, the following forms are incorporated by reference:

1. SOC 155B (3/00), Mutual Agreement For 18 Year Olds
2. SOC 161 (9/11), Six-Month Certification Of Extended Foster Care Participation
3. SOC 162 (7/18), Mutual Agreement for Extended Foster Care
4. SOC 163 (7/18), Voluntary Re-Entry Agreement For Extended Foster Care

It would be cumbersome, unduly expensive, and otherwise impractical to publish these forms in the CCR. The forms were omitted during the 45-Day Public Comment Period; therefore, they are available to the public for review during the 15-Day Renote Period.

SOC 155B (3/00), Mutual Agreement For 18 Year Olds is adopted and incorporated by reference. The purpose of this form is to document the mutual agreement between the placing agency and a youth whose nonrelated legal guardianship was created by the probate court. For the youth to continue receive AFDC-FC benefits after age 18, and up to age 19, while the youth is completing his or her education. The form details the expectations of both the youth and the agency and is necessary to implement W&I Code section 11405. Moreover, this form is necessary for consistency and uniformity in the statewide administration of the Extended Foster Care Program.

The SOC 161 (9/11), Six-Month Certification Of Extended Foster Care Participation is adopted and incorporated by reference. The purpose of this form is to provide a uniform way for the social worker or probation officer to certify a nonminor's participation in extended foster care activities. The form is transmitted to the eligibility worker, who ensures that the youth continues to receive proper benefits based, in part, on the certification. This form is necessary to ensure that eligible youth continue to receive extended foster care funding and so that proper documentation of eligibility is maintained in the child welfare case. Moreover, this form is necessary for consistency and uniformity in the statewide administration of the Extended Foster Care Program.

The SOC 162 (7/18), Mutual Agreement for Extended Foster Care is adopted and incorporated by reference. The purpose of this form is to formalize a youth's agreement to remain in foster care under the supervision of the child welfare or probation department, after the age of 18 and up to age 21. This form documents the responsibilities and expectations of both the youth and the agency, ensuring that youth will remain eligible for extended foster care. This form is necessary to ensure that there is documentation for the legal authority for placement and care, as required by WIC

section 11403(b). Moreover, this form is necessary for consistency and uniformity in the statewide administration of the Extended Foster Care Program.

The SOC 163 (7/18), Voluntary Re-Entry Agreement For Extended Foster Care is adopted and incorporated by reference. The purpose of this form is to document the agreement between the placing agency and a youth who intends to reenter foster care after the age of 18 and up to age 21. This form documents the responsibilities and expectations of both the youth and the agency, ensuring that youth will remain eligible for extended foster care benefits. This form is necessary to ensure that there is documentation for the legal authority for placement and care, as required by WIC section 11403(b). Moreover, this form is necessary for consistency and uniformity in the statewide administration of the Extended Foster Care Program.